CLUBWOMEN IN NEW YORK FOR BIENNIAL CONVENTION

Nine Thousand Delegates, Alternates and Visitors Attend Opening Session.

EVERY STATE REPRESENTED

Governor Whitman Extends Welcome on Behalf of State-Miss Margaret Wilson Occupies Seat of Honor. Campaign for Presidency Opens.

NEW YORK, N. Y., May 24 .- Nine thousand delegates, alternates and visitors from all the States in the Union and from Cuba, Porto Rico, Alaska and the Philippines, filled the Seventh Regiment Armory here tonight at the first general session of the thirteen biennial convention of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs. More than 2,000 spectators were turned away at the doors. Of those in the armory, 1,500 were men. The crowd became so dense before the convention epened that the doors were closed, and police reserves were called. Five women were overcome in the crush, and received attention at an emergency hospital at the armory.

With the arrival of Governor Whitan and Mrs. Whitman, the convention vas called to order by Mrs. Percy V Pennybacker, president of the federa-

Mrs. William Grant Brown, president of the New York biennial board, which arranged for the convention, presided with Mrs. Pennybacker. Miss Mar-garet Wilson, daughter of the Presi-dent, occupied the seat of honor be-tween them.

NATIONAL AND STATE

OFFICERS ON PLATFORM

"You told the district attorney on your last visit that Waite had told you he did it, didn't you?"

NO ANSWER TO PROPOSAL CORP. She was then excused.

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"Yes." coor was occupied aimost enthers by the discolegates and alternates, seated in the discolegates and alternates, seated in the discolegations. Three hundred trict attorney in any of your former Lord Robert Ceell Says Germany's Destate delegations. istate delegations. Three hundred trict a shers handled the crowds. Sounding visits?" loards carried the voices of the speakers to the remotest corners of the great auditorium.

Governor Whitman, who was the first speaker, paid high tribute to what he alled the "new woman," after welcoming the delegates on behalf of New

York State.
"To-day women fill our schools, col-

"To-day women fill our schools, colleges and universities," he said. "And their clubs, rooted in the life of every community, discuss all topics known to human interest. No door of opportunity is closed to them. "What go to make up the business of life, the so-called 'weaker sex' is laboring in all but five or ten. Over \$,000,000 women are engaged in gainful occupations and in the trades and in the tions and in the trades and in the professions the reward of preferment nereasingly wait upon merit rather

an sex."

"Very boyish
Fire Commissioner Robert Adamson and cheerful." welcomed the delegates and visitors in the name of Mayor Mitchel.

ADDRESSES DELIVERED BY PROMINENT WOMEN

Addresses were also delivered by Mrs. Albert Heldreth, of Syracuse, president of the New York State Federation, Mrs. Benjamin Prince, president of Sorosis, the oldest woman's club in the country; Mrs. Eugene Grant, president of the New York City Federation: Dr. Katherine Bement Davis, chairman of the parole board, and Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National Association on the Progress for Woman Suffrage. for Woman Suffrage. Pennybacker responded to the

The campaign for the presidency of

of the by-laws, advocated adequate germs, from which she died a few headquarters and favored increasing weeks before her husband. he advisory board from fifteen to fif-

During the afternoon, conferences were held by the chairmen of departments and various committees. The sessions were executive.

nusband in the court for the first time to-day, when she took the stand as a She was dressed in mourning and came into the courtroom so quietly that few observed.

MRS. HORTON DESCRIBES WAITE'S MAN FROM EGYPT

(Continued from First Page.) about his father-in-law, John E.

declared Walte sent her a telegram in

which he urged her to "go on with her studies."

ADVISED TO MOVE FROM

Later he wired her from Grand Rapids, advising her to pack their belongings and move from the "studio"

When he returned to New York, afsuspected of the murder of Mr. Peck, me later." ter he had been apprised that he was Waite met Mrs. Horton, she asserted, and complained of not being able to sleep. He gave her some money and requested her to go to a drug store and buy some tablets for him. She was at "school" at the time, taking "German lesson," but she excused herself and did as Watte requested.

What did Waite say when you gave him the tablets?" "He would never see me again."

"Did you cry?" "Yes, I did."

"Did he kiss you good-by?"

"Why?"

"I wouldn't let him." Mrs. Horton said that was the last she saw of Waite before his arrest. He gave her a ring and \$1,170 in cash.

she said. Mrs. Horton told of receiving other letters from Waite after his arrest. In one she said Waite wrote about "the man from Egypt," which he described after his arrest as the evil influence

working within him. "Did you reply to Waite's letters?"

was asked.

"What did you say?"
"I said something about waiting four or forty years, I think."

On cross-examination, Mrs. Horton told Waite's counsel she not only had begged to be allowed to see the Healing and refreshing - Non-greasy.
Sond 10c. for triat aixo
FERO, T. HOPKINS & SON, 37 Great Jones St., New York prisoner, but that soon she would be earning considerable money from her

Two Federation Candidates



(Left) Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath, of Tiffin, O., and (right) Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, of Los Angeles, Cal., both of whom are candidates for the presidency of the Federation of Woman's Clubs, now meeting in New York.

sire is to Keep Up Exchange

With America.

that no answer had yet been given.

The War Minister denied reports that

shipment which might reach \$30,000,000.

John Lonscille, the questioner, that

Germany's desire to export dyestuffs

America. He added: "Unquestionably,

to take place, and I will bear that con-

Affecting Incomes Pald to State Officers.

Describes His Recovery and

Escape from the Operating

stored.

vesterday

art, and she gladly would use it to aid ANSWERS TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY USUALLY UNSATISFACTORY

ville, N. J., who testified yesterday that he called at the Walte home the day Peck died. She testified that she sent Questioned concerning her visits to the telegram to Percy Peck after Dr. the district attorney's office, Mrs. Hor-ton said her answers to the district attorney on all her visits except the

On cross-examination Mr. Duel asked Mrs. Horton:

were purely platonic, were they not? They were," answered the witness. "When did you go to the apartment with the defendant?"

"Usually between 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon." "What was his demeanor?" "He was always gentlemanly and

"Did he ever appear to be melan-

"Yes, when I played or sang." "Describe his actions."

"Why, he would cry like a child." "At other times how did he act?" Very boyish. He was always bright

"Did he ever comment to you on his the reply is sent to the American gov- Virgin Mary. when you were playing the plano or

"Yes, he often said we were only "Did the defendant ever ask you to

go away with him?"
"No. Never." "What did the defendant tell you he did for a living?"

work for Dr. Muller.'

OBTAINED QUANTITY OF ARSENIC "TO KILL SOME CATS"

Dr. Muller had testified that Waite he federation was opened at the coun-il meeting of the organization this arsenic shortly before Mr. Peck's death. obtained through him a quantity of afternoon, when two candidates, Mrs. Waite told him, he said, that he Samuel B. Sneath, of Tiffin, O., and Mrs. wanted the poison to "kill some cats."

Josiah Evans Cowles, of Los Angeles, Previously, Waite had said he was invere introduced by Mrs. Pennybacker, terested in the study of bacteriology. Both candidates outlined their poli-cles. Mrs. Sneath limited her talk to the \$199,990 endowment fund, and coun-selled its safe investment. Mrs. Cowless discussed the endowment fund, revision

Two hundred women attended a luncheon given by Mrs. John Hays Hammond this afternoon, when means of attaining peace throughout the jury to disregard all testimony about Waite's study of bacteriology. The court so instructed the jury of attaining peace throughout the jury. The State then rested, and Mr. world were discussed. Mrs. Hammond said a world court would achieve it. Mrs. William J. Bryan said the task Mrs. Clara Peck Waite faced her husband in the court for the first time.

She was dressed in mourning and came into the courtroom so quietly that few observed her. Her brother, Percy Peck, was testifying. Dr. Waite, who had been sitting with bowed head all the forenoon, looked at his wife, but she appeared not to see him.

Mrs. Waite testified concerning her father's visit from Grand Bande to

father's visit from Grand Rapids to New York, and sald that Waite sug-gested that Dr. Albertus A. Moore be called to see her father.

Peck?"

"He said his father-in-law was very into the said here. After Mr. Peck's death, Mrs. Horton declared Waite sent her a telegram in declared Waite sent her a telegram in the said here. After Mr. Peck's death, Mrs. Horton declared Waite sent her a telegram in the said here. After Mr. F. Gifford, of the Ball Rock Farm, Maymont, Saskatchewan, Canada, says: "Thanks to Fruitola and Traxo I am the said his father-in-law was very in very good health, some time after here in very good health, some time after here. In a letter to friends at Saskatoon, Mr. F. Gifford, of the Ball Rock Farm, Maymont, Saskatchewan, Canada, says: "Thanks to Fruitola and Traxo I am the said his father-in-law was very like the said here."

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germs.

The witness said three days before Mr. Peck's death, Waite served her father with some oysters at dinner, Later Mr. Peck remarked that he feit stones. My health is now fully re-"STUDIO" APARTMENT Later Mr. Peck remarked that he felt stones. unnusually drowsy.

SAW NOTHING UNUSUAL EXCEPT WHAT MAID TOLD

When asked if she saw anything unusual in Waite's manner, Mrs. Waite ing the congested waste and distintebroke down and sobbed, but finally re- grating the hardened particles that

broke down and sobbed, but finally replied, "no, only what my maid told
ne later."

She said her father's condition grew
gradually worse and she called in Dr.

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gastric julces to aid digestion and removes bile from the general circulation.

It serves to build up and strengthen the weakened, run-down system. gradually worse and she called in Dr. Moore several times. The night before her father died, she said, Waite gave him an eggnog and Peck complained that it made him Ill. Next morning her father died.

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Two weeks before Mr. Peck's death, Vaite told his wife, she testified, that can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's e wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's can be wished to supply them through representative druggists. In Richmond they can be obtained at L. T. Wright Drug Co., Lombardy and Broad Streets; Frank B. Grubbs' Paragon Pharmacy, 891 West Carly Street; Wood's Pharmacy, 1891 West Carly Streets; Rolland H. Childrey, Eighteenth and Franklin Streets; Hood's drug store, Twenty-ninth Waite told his wife, she testified, that he wished to put a "tonic" in Mr. Peck's soup. Previously, she swore, Waite present and P Streets, and R. L. Harrison, 3901 Williamsburg Avenue. pared medicine with which he sprayed

Mr. Peck's throat.

The sender of the mysterious "K. Adams" telegram, which has figured in the case of Dr. Waite was identified as Elizabeth B. Hardwick, of Somerville, N. J. This was the telegram sent from New York to Grand Rapids, urg-ing Percy Peck to have an autopsy performed on his father's body.

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AMICABLE CONCLUSION

Overtures Adopted Without Debate.

Theological Seminary are involved.

The committee had before it more dates should strictly observe the decthan two dozen overtures from presby- larations of the confession of faith in teries dealing with the heresy contro- doctrinal matters. versy. The one which attracted the DELIVERANCE OF 1910 most attention and to which serious consideration was given by the committee was that from the Cincinnati Presbytery, which proposed that the home of Dr. Jacob Cornell, of Somer-New York Presbytery be expelled because it licensed three young men who are alleged to hold views at variance with the doctrines of the church. The report of the committee, read, in part, the Holy Spirit did so inspire, guide Cornell returned from the Waite spart-ment, and that some one told her to send it. A question as to who directed her was ruled out.

of the action of the New York Presbytery in receiving and licensing candidates for the ministry, whose theo- our Lord Jesus Christ was born of logical beliefs do not accord with the the Virgin Mary. doctrinal standards of our church, and to another, calling for a deliverance word of God and our standards that declaring that it is not only discourte- Christ offered up himself a sacrifice to ous and unwarranted, but also unchris- satisfy Divine justice and thus recontian and subversive of proper disci- cile us to God. pline for one presbytery to assert that the ministers of another presbytery or word of God and of our standards conthe House of Commons to-day that a presbyteries are untrue to their ordi- cerning our Lord Jesus Christ that on nation yows, your committee begs to the third day He arose from the dead

The members of New

"The brethren on both sides of the be borne in mind in any reply we Lord Robert said that in 1915 the bers of your committee, expressed their British government was willing to al. strong conviction that this continued "Why, he said he was doing research low the exportation from Germany to agitation was bringing reproach upon the United States of two cargoes of the church, was hindering the cause dyestuffs, but that this offer had lapsed. of Christ, and that something must be PASS ON HIGHER SALARIES

"It was proposed that these brethren themselves should confer as to the best Supreme Court Will Soon Get Brief remedy for the whole trouble. Having done so in a most earnest, prayerful and forbearing spirit, they pre-Assistant Attorney-General Leslie C. sented a paper which to their minds embodied all that the exigencies of the preparing the brief of the case involving the raise in salaries of a number great hope for the future peace and

of Appeals when it meets in Wythe-ville on June 6. When Mrs. Horton was excused from the stand Mr. Deul asked the court to instruct the jury to disregard all testimony about Waite's study of bactimony about Waite's s

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OF DISPUTE ON HERESY

Report From Committee on Bills and for the ministry who cannot give their

BY NORTHERN PRESBYTERIANS following paper:

They Should Be Ordained.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 21.—The these candidates recognize critical dif-General Assembly of the Presbyterian neulties in connection with the doc-Church in the United States of Amer- trine of the virgin birth, but at the lea to-day adopted without debate a same time state that their faith in report from the committee on bills and this doctrine is of a growing charovertures warning the New York and acter and that they unqualifiedly deall other presbyteries that the tenets care their faith in the pre-existence of the church must be accepted by and diety of our Lord, and all the recandidates for the ministry before they demption truth that is embodied in His should be ordained.

FOR EXPORT OF DYESTUFFS LONDON, May 24.-Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade, informed proposal had been received to permit the exportation from Germany to the present the following report:

done effectually to put a stop to it.

of State officials by the recent Legis-lature. Mr. Garnett said he hoped to present the case to the Supreme Court of Armony of the church. "Your committee gave this paper due consideration, and were grateful and other officials was raised during their terms of office. Whether or not this was an unconstitutional act remains to be determined by the court.

ing, prevent in the future any hasty or ill-advised judgment in public print

All Presbyteries Warned That Tenets of Church Must Be Accepted by Candidates for Ministry Before neither affirmed nor denied the doc-

This action, it is believed, ends further discussion in the present assembly constitution of the church each presof the alleged heresy question in which bytery is the judge of qualifications of the New York Presbytery and Union candidates for the ministry, but such

"In answer to overtures complaining ture as to keep them from error.

American government of dyestuffs, but FULL AND FRANK STATEMENTS

AS TO ISSUES INVOLVED cended into Heaven and there sitteth "Commissioners from New York Preslicenses had been granted for the ex- bytery and representatives of overturport from Germany to the United States ing presbyteries appeared before the of \$5,000,000 worth of dyes, part of a committee and made full and frank statements as to the issues involved. Lord Robert Cecil agreed with Sir Complaint was made against the members of New York Presbytery for licensing recently and on previous occasions was to keep up German exchange with candidates who could not affirm their belief in the essential doctrine of the is not to our interest to allow that word of God and our standards, that our Lord Jesus Christ was born of the sideration very carefully in mind when feeling with respect to his actions ernment. It would not be courteous to York Presbytery felt deeply pained the United States to give assurance to and aggrieved that the overturing presthis house before the reply to them byteries should propose drastle action, is actually sent, but I assure Sir John not on the basis of the presbytery's Lonsdale what he says and what is records, but on the basis of exaggerthe general feeling of the house will ated and misleading newspaper reports.

controversy, together with the mem-

What! A sensible cigarette? Yes-you can

receiving and licensing any candidates

"We recommend the adoption of the

trine of the virgin birth, on the fol-

life teaching and His sacrificial death."

presbytery in licensing these candi-

"The general assembly calls the at-

tention of the presbyteries to the de-

liverance of the general assembly of

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word of God and our standards, that

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"4. It is an essential doctrine of the

with the same body with which He

suffered and with which also He as-

"2. It is an essential doctrine of the

1910, which is as follows:

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

"Whereas, It is admitted that by the

trines of the church.



tion of this paper, in the earnest hope at the right hand of His Father, mak- fundamentals of our faith, that his that it will allay all misunderstand-ing intercession.

"5. It is an essential doctrine of the of brethren in good and regular stand- word of God as the supreme standard has become so." ing in the ministry, and serve as a of our faith that our Lord Jesus showed warning to all presbyteries against His power and love by working mighty miracles.

"This working was not contrary to assent to all the fundadmental docnature, but superior to it.

"Presbyteries are hereby enjoined not to license or ordain any candidate for the ministry whose views are not in "Whereas, The records of the Pres-bytery of New York show that, on accordance with this deliverance of 1910

April 10, 1916, that presbytery licensed "This general assemble renews its three candidates for the ministry who positive mandate with full expectation Binds. of loyal compliance by all our presbyteries; and directs that when a candilowing recommendation, 'noting that clear and positive on any one of the church.

license be deferred until such time as

The report was read by the Rev. for. mittee. As he concluded a voice motores the adoption of the eport, another seconded and when Morerator Marquis put the question a resounding "ave" boomed out. Not a dissenting vote was

With one accord the entire assembly rose and sang "Blest Be the Tie That

Prayer was offered thanking God for the amicable conclusion of what had date appears who is found to be not threatened serious division in the

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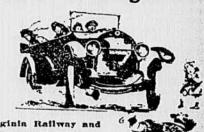
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